

REMARKS

This application has been carefully reviewed in light of the final Office Action mailed June 29, 2007. Claims 1-34 are pending and Claims 17-34 stand rejected by the Examiner. Applicants have cancelled claims 17-34.

Allowable Claims

Applicants note with appreciation the allowance of Claims 1-16.

Claim Rejections

The Office Action rejects Claims 17-34 for various reasons. Applicants respectfully traverse these rejections; however, Applicants have cancelled Claims 17-34 in order to advance prosecution. Favorable action is requested.

CONCLUSION

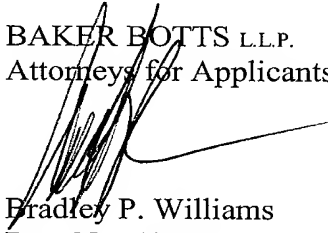
Applicants have now made an earnest attempt to place this case in condition for immediate allowance. For the foregoing reasons and for other apparent reasons, Applicants respectfully request allowance of all pending claims.

If the Examiner feels that prosecution of the present Application may be advanced in any way by a telephone conference, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at 214-953-6447.

Applicants do not believe that any fees are due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Respectfully submitted,

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